

The Pocahontas Times,

Hear, Land o' Cakes, and brother Spots,
Fare Maidenhead to Johnny Groat,
If there's a hole in a your coat,
I red ye tent it;
A chiel's amang yer takin' notes,
An' faith he'll prout it. —Buns.

Local Events.



CHESAPEAKE AND
OHIO RAILWAY

In Effect June 1, 1901

(Central time.)

WEST	Stations.	EAST.
No 141 Daily ex Sunday		No 142 Daily ex Sunday
P. M.		P. M.
1.45	Cass	11.45
1.50	Forrest	11.50
2.12	Clover Lick	12.20
2.35	Harper	12.50
3.00	Marlington	1.30
3.12	Buckeye	1.45
3.20	Dan	1.55
3.30	Seebert	2.05
3.52	Beards	2.44
4.10	Droop Mountain	2.25
4.32	Senick	2.45
4.41	Spring Creek	2.55
5.05	Anthony	3.35
5.15	Kelster	3.45
5.38	Little Saltburg	3.50
5.43	Whitcomb	4.05
5.55	Ronceverte	4.15

Connection made at Ronceverte to
and from Washington, Baltimore,
Philadelphia, New York, Richmond,
Norfolk, Cincinnati, Louisville, St.
Louis and Chicago.

We are authorized to announce
Dr. J. P. Moomau, of Greenbank, as
a candidate from Pocahontas
County to the Legislature of West
Virginia, subject to the action of
the Democratic Party.

We are authorized to announce
J. H. Patterson as a candidate for
re-election to the office of Clerk of
the Circuit Court of Pocahontas
County, subject to the Democratic
nomination.

We are authorized to announce
E. I. Holt for Clerk of the County
Court of Pocahontas County,
subject to the nomination of the
Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce
S. L. Brown as a candidate for re-
election to the office of the Clerk
of the County Court of Pocahontas
County, subject to the Demo-
cratic nomination.

We are authorized to announce
J. B. Grimes as a candidate for the
office of Superintendent of Free
Schools for Pocahontas County,
subject to the Democratic nomi-
nation.

G. W. Mann has sold his house
and lot in Marlinton to John W.
Curry.

W. Crummett is hauling lumber
from White's on Laurel Creek to
Marlington.

L. M. McClintic went to the
Hot Springs Tuesday to attend to
some matters for a client.

C. P. Corbett was in Marlinton
Monday. He is looking for a
good little farm and has money to
pay for it.

Edwin Beard, of Academy was in
Marlington Friday between the
trains looking after business af-
fairs.

A. W. Hiner of Sunset was in
Marlington Friday. He has moved
from the Creek property to Reddy
Goutlets.

Preston Clark and daughter,
Mrs McNulty passed Marlinton
Friday, going to Mrs McNulty's
home in Highland County, at
Meadow Dale.

Mrs Andrew Price accompan-
ied by her little daughters, Agnes
and Margaret, visited Mr and Mrs
Alvin Clark, near Academy, from
Saturday to Monday.

Miss Stella Garber, only daugh-
ter of Mr and Mrs Daniel Garber
of Elkins, at one time residents of
Marlington, was married March 12
to Jacob H. Yeager of Philippi.

The Farmers Implement and
Supply Company have sold out to
A. E. Kinnison who will establish
a distributing point there for Mc-
Cormick Machinery and the Em-
pire State Drill.

The next meeting of Wm Mc-
Gill's creditors will be in Marlinton.
Since going into bankruptcy
he has received a legacy of \$500
from an aunt in Baltimore, who
was a Miss Wood.

Some excitement was occasion-
ed by the news in the Cincinnati
Enquirer to the effect that Mar-
lington could grant liquor license.
It was allayed by telegraphing to
Geo. W. McClintic who replied it
applied to towns having special
charters, only.

It is surprising to notice the
amount of corn, oats and hay and
flour hauled from Marlinton dur-
ing these March days. If all the
supplies were produced in Poca-
hontas there would be prosperity
of a solid character and farming
would pay richly indeed.

Frank Deihl, the Jeweler and
Optician, is in Staunton, arrang-
ing to move a well equipped Jew-
elry Store to Marlinton. In the
short while Mr Deihl has been
here he has made friends and
has proven himself a competent
workman. He will occupy the
Samuel Cooper Store room.

Dr Stout, the Dentist, who
has been practicing in Marlinton
several months, has decided to
settle here permanently. He has
done a great deal of work, and
has given universal satisfaction.
We have always contended that
Marlington had a good opening
for a dentist, but it was years be-
fore we could get one. We have
a dentist now, and what is more
to the point, he is a fixture, and a
skillful operator.

THE LOG DRIVE

Laboring with Low Water in Knapps Creek
while a Good Tide in the River
Passes.

Smith & Whiting Having a Hard Time
Driving this Year. A Big Jam at
the Reunion Grounds Estimated to
Contain Three Million Feet.

By splashing and hard driving
Smith and Whiting will get their
logs into the River this week. The
drive though large is not as big as
the one last year. Seven million
feet came down Knapps Creek,
and two million will be put in the
river farther down, making a drive
of nine million feet.

A big jam formed at the bend
near the Reunion Ground and
reached to Layden Bottom. Capt
Smith estimated the jam to con-
tain at least three million feet.

Breaking this jam was rather a
tedious business, and had the wa-
ter been higher it would have been
dangerous. Almost every log
had to be moved separately and
shoved off, between splashes. The
last two hundred yards went with
a rush, however, and for some-
time the logs poured out of the
Creek into the River in an almost
solid stream.

The Creek was filled full of logs
in places several deep, and the
banks piled high with them. When
the logs in the Creek would move,
those along the sides would often
give way, rolling into the Creek
and constantly endangering life
and limb of the loggers. There
were several narrow escapes but
no one was injured, save for a few
bruises and sprains.

The arks were freighted back
from Ronceverte this year and
rebuilt at the McGill Siding. Four
were built, and are now at the
snubbing place above the bridge.
They were brought down Sunday
and the camp equipment was moved
into it from Huntersville on
Monday. About seventy-five log-
gers are now occupying them, but
will accommodate at least a hun-
dred. Jim Stretch built them, and
is the head pilot.

R. R. Mason is in charge of the
driving crew, as usual. J. H.
Doyle is the Clerk. Several
of the boys about town were going
to join the drivers when they
got to Marlinton, but the recent
raw days reminded them that they
did not have to go, and so the
ranks of the loggers have not
been recruited from the men of
Marlington and vicinity to any
great extent.

Could the drivers have taken ad-
vantage of the tide in the River
Sunday it would have saved a
great deal of time, as the water
was in fine condition.

Good morning, Mr Editor.
Several farmers are busily en-
gaged in making sugar.

I. B. Moore has got out a good
sawset.

Messrs Robinson's mill is in full
blast, sawing Price Moore's white
pine lumber.

A. Herold has been on the sick
list for some time.

Col Driscoll of Ronceverte, ac-
companied by Samuel Cooper, of
Marlington, were in town last
week.

Z. R. Goulet will have one of
the largest sales that have ever
been held on the Creek this week.

Dr Jordan is kept quite busy.

C. S. Curry has about complet-
ed his job of logging for Driscoll
and Kinsport.

C. W. Rider had four sheep killed
by dogs last week.

D. W. Dever is still suffering
with his hand.

Prof. J. H. Lantz has sold his
farm to Hugh Jordan of Virginia.

M. F. H. says the man that saws
a thousand logs a week is a hus-
tler. We say so too, and the man
that tells it will have to hustle also.

C. K. Moore has a job of cut-
ting logs on hand now.

Look out for the candidates—
They will be around kissing the
babies pretty soon.

John E. Shrader expects to
move to Greenbrier this spring.

J. B. Sharp has enlarged his
baywindow.

Hannah and Harper are closing
out their entire stock at bargain
prices.

Who are we going to have for
Commissioner of the County?—I
say give us a man who has travel-
ed the county roads and know the
condition they are in, and will act
accordingly.

Married, March 19, at Central
Hotel, Charles Eldridge Wilfong
to Miss Annie Jane Gum; Wm.
T. Price, officiating minister.

Married, at Central Hotel, on
Thursday, March 20, Jacob New-
ton Galford to Miss Birdie Ag-
nes Wilfong, by Wm. T. Price.

On account of the death of his
little child, Dr Campbell has been
unable to be at Durbin, but will be
Marlington on the 28th. Office
at Mrs Carter's, near Bank of
Marlington.

OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Important Communications from Nearly Ev-
ery Part of the County.

An Heir of I. L. Sander Turns Up. The
Bridge Question Discussed. Other
Matters of Note.

Dunmore.

Rain and mud, but we look for
better weather when the sun crosses
the line.

Mrs C. B. Swecker was found
lying on the floor unconscious and
speechless Saturday, February 15,
about four o'clock. She has re-
mained in the same condition ever
since, over thirty-six hours. The
doctor pronounces it paralysis.

Dr O. J. Campbell was called
home by phone from Cass Sun-
day. His youngest child had pneu-
monia. A little later a message
came saying the child had died
about noon.

E. N. Moore received a letter
from Thos. C. Sander, of Amfler,
Ohio, who thinks he is a brother
of I. L. Sander, dec'd. He saw in
the Cincinnati Times-Star that he
had died without any relatives.

Miss Emma Warwick is teach-
ing her second school at the new
"hillside school house."

Stock has wintered well and is
commanding a good price.

We regret that the supreme
court has decided adversely to
our county courts with regard to
city and corporate license. This
is a start down the incline for
proud Pocahontas. Lord deliver
our boys from the saloons!

Rev W. W. Carson of Monte-
rey did not come Sunday to fill
the appointment made by Rev H.
W. McLaughlin on account of
sickness in his family. We are
looking forward to the coming of
Dr Telford and Rev Wm. T. Price
before the return of Mr McLaugh-
lin.

Rev J. W. McNeil will leave for
Baltimore to attend the Baltimore
Annual Conference on March 24.
We hope to see him returned to
Greenbank Circuit.

Greenbank.

We are having regular March
weather.

R. B. Kerr, of Durbin, was in
town Saturday.

Give us Dr J. P. Moomau for
House of Delegates.

The wild geese were going up
north last week.

W. W. Arbogast our road com-
missioner, says he has to walk ov-
er the roads as he cant ride for fear
of sinking, but he is working ev-
ery available map and team to get
the road in passable condition.

Mr Nobody just keep your
shoes on, and I will go the same
until warm weather. How could
I travel your roads if there is no
bottom?

Hurrah for Wanless! Another
good man on the right side.

Give us W. H. Hull for Com-
missioner of the County Court, if
you please.

Mrs Sam Sheets and Mrs Joe
Siple were among the guests of
Mrs Dr Little last Saturday.

Sam Sheets, Deputy Sheriff was
in town Saturday collecting taxes
as usual.

Henry Dickinson, of Durbin,
was in town Saturday.

Warwick Gum, of Palmer, is vi-
siting his father, John E. Gum, and
his many friends in this commu-
nity.

Give us J. H. Patterson for Cir-
cuit Clerk and S. L. Brown for
County Clerk and we will be sat-
isfied along that line.

Can any church prosper when
its members and especially those
in official positions advocate the
license saloon? God pity such,
and help them to see the truth as
Thy Word is Truth.

Mr Masters of McDowell is a
clerk for J. M. Moonau.

When in town don't forget to
stop at the postoffice and inquire
for your mail, and get a bottle of
medicine to cure your rheumatism.

R. H. Boal and family will go to
Piedmont this week. We are sor-
ry to lose them and wish them all
prosperity in their new home.

J. W. Oliver don't sing West
Virginia Hills now, but its Sweet-
by-O-Baby. Its a girl.

The Bridge Question.

Where should the bridge across
the Greenbrier be built? That is
the question that interests all, and
we think where the most money is
invested, and the most people are
accommodated that is the place
for the bridge. That is Cass. The
large number of laborers trade
with the company which employs
them and the farmer finds here a
ready sale for his produce, there-
fore we conclude that Cass will
accommodate the largest number.
We are sure the bridge should not
be farther down the river! Never!

Cass is our nearest market for
our produce, where we can find a
ready sale for any thing we have
to sell; it is our nearest depot and
express office, where we can get
flour, grain and salt; where our
merchants get their goods, and
why in the light of reason should
we not have the bridge at this
place? We feel sure the County
Court will see the necessity at a
glance, and put the bridge at Cass.
It is near and we can get a very
good road if the Court will help us
but little. We don't want to go
to Forrest, cross the bridge, leave
the team, and go to Cass by train
to sell and buy. We don't think
the Court would do that either.

A VOTER.

On Saturday, March 15, a dis-
tressing accident occurred at Ron-
ceverte when the nine year old
son of Larlar Spencer was killed
by a passing train.

Glade Hill

And then it snowed about 24
inches. Then it cleared up and
the sun shone and the rain came
and the snow went off.

Charles Corbett passed here
one day last week on his way
from Cass to home on Jacksons
River. He reports snow 4 feet
deep on Cheat.

Miss Maud Masón has closed
her school at Oak Grove and has
returned to her home at Michaels
Peak.

Mervin Sharp and little brother
Letcher were visiting friends and
relatives in this part last week.

What we Pocahontas people
most need is an engineer corps to
locate the bottom of our roads
as they are in a very dangerous
condition.

Father Pooh was a welcome vis-
itor last week.

H. F. Arbogast of Louise was
in this part one day last week.

W. A. G. Sharp, John A. Moore
and Rev Pullin passed here one
day last week enroute for Forrest.

We notice in a recent copy of
the Times why Miss Pooh did not
write from Arboreale instead of
Louise. Simply because he lives
at Glade Hill. By a mistake his
letter was headed Arboreale.

We echo Mr Pooh's sentiments
in regard to a bridge at Forrest.
Everybody knows that the mer-
chants at Dunmore, Greenbank,
Arboreale and Frost can all get
goods at Forrest. For over a
month the river has been past for-
ding half of the time. A blind man
could see that a bridge at Forrest
would be a greater convenience to
more people than at any other
place in the county.

The dance given by Mr and Mrs
Letcher Hudson on February 28
was enjoyed by quite a number of
young people from all over upper
Pocahontas. Arprize was given to
the most popular young lady, be-
ing won by Miss Hattie Moore.
At midnight a bountiful supper
was served by dainty hands, and
then the dancing went on merrily
until the wee hours, when the
guests went to their respective
homes, thanking Mr and Mrs Hud-
son for their kindness and hospi-
tality.

—Miss Pooh.

Clover Lick

We have been having all kinds
of winter with about two feet of
snow.

The mud is just out of sight now.
Rev Guy H. Crook preached a
very able sermon at the station
Sunday morning and Sunday even-
ing.

J. C. Price was a pleasant caller
in this part last week.

Lee Hambrick, of Webster, is
visiting his brother B. B. Ham-
brick of Clover Lick.

Amos Woodell of Linwood
was in town this week trading
with Coyner Bros., our mer-
chants.

S. B. Hannah of Greenbank has
brought over a nice lot of cattle
to be fed.

E. D. Meeks is engaged in the
skunk business.

W. R. Cole and Company is do-
ing a big business in the stave line
at Clover Lick.

B. B. Hambrick says skunk
hunting is not so funny when it is
so muddy.

Miss Hattie Moore paid the
Hills a short visit some time ago.

Bird Ray, we are glad to say, is
improving in health after a severe
spell of sickness.

—A Subscriber

Academy.

And it rained once more and
the roads are muddy.

Henry Dickinson, of the beauti-
ful town of Durbin was in our vil-
lage Saturday.

Sherman Sutton is making im-
provements on the roads.

Summers Sharp closed his
school at Mosey Flat last Friday
with a big entertainment, which
was enjoyed by all present.

George Sutton of Virginia is
visiting his brother Sherman Sut-
ton at this time.

G. W. Mallow of Pendleton was
out last week looking after his in-
terest in the store at this place.

Orren Gillespie has a red bird
in his eye in the direction of
Greenbank.

Willie E. Arbogast, Secretary of
the Arboreale Literary Society,
says he would not trade positions
with the President.

Miss Gertie Beverage of Green-
bank was in town Saturday.

O for a flying machine that we
might fly like a bird over the
roads for they are impassable.

—Peter-Fly-Bucket.

Miss Rosa Cooper will leave
for Baltimore next week to lay in
a full line of up-to-date millinery.
She will back with milliners by
April 1st and open for business
with a full line at Samuel Coop-
er's store, opposite Bank of Mar-
lington.

BIG PUBLIC AUCTION SALE

OF
J. H. LANTZ'S PERSONAL PROPERTY

APRIL 5, 1902

I will sell at Public Auction at
my residence on Knapps Creek:

10 Cows
1 Mare and two colts
21 Sheep
4 Hogs
1 Hoosier Rake
1 McCormick Mower
1 Acme Harrow
1 Set of Team Harness
1 Wagon
100 Bushel of Wheat
12 Bushel of Potatoes
A Lot of Hams and
All Farming In-
hold and K.

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tressing accident occurred at Ron-
ceverte when the nine year old
son of Larlar Spencer was killed
by a passing train.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Pursuant to a decree of the Cir-
cuit Court, of Pocahontas County
West Virginia, entered at the Oc-
tober term, 1901, in the chancery
cause of R. H. Liggett vs Lizzie F
Davis and others, the undersigned
Special Commissioner will on
Tuesday, April 1, 1902,

at the front door of the court-
house of Pocahontas County, pro-
ceed to sell by way of public auc-
tion to the highest bidder the fol-
lowing property:

The one-sixth undivided inter-
est of J. W. Davis (said interest is
58 acres and 53 1/2 poles) in a tract
of land adjoining Ed Duley, S. B.
Hannah, and others on the wa-
Virginia. Said land is principally
improved and is fine blue grass
grazing land.

Terms of Sale

So much cash in hand as will
pay costs of suit and expenses of
sale, and the residue upon a cred-
it of 6 and 12 months in equal in-
stallments, with interest from date
purchase, executing his bonds,
with good personal security for
the deferred installments, the title
to be retained as ultimate security

L. M. McCLINTIC
Special Commissioner.

J. H. Patterson, Clerk of the
Circuit Court of Pocahontas Coun-
ty, West Virginia, do hereby cer-
tify that the above named Special
Commissioner has executed bond
as required by said decree.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.

COMMISSIONERS SALE.

Pursuant to a decree of the Cir-
cuit Court of Pocahontas County,
West Virginia, entered on the 7th
day of October, 1901, in the chan-
cery cause therein pending in which
the Pocahontas Development
Company is plaintiff and S. B.
Scott, Jr., is defendant, the under-
signed special commissioner will on

Tuesday, April 1, 1902,

At the front door of the Court-
House of Pocahontas County, pro-
ceed to sell at public auction to the
highest bidder the following
property:

Lot 18 in block 44
Lot 19 in Block 44
Lot 20 in Block 44

As shown on the proper plat of
the town of Marlinton. On said
land is a five roomed dwelling
house and is the property on
which the said S. B. Scott, Jr now
resides.

Terms of Sale

So much cash in hand as is ne-
cessary to satisfy decree in this
cause of \$499.50, and interest, the
costs of suit and expenses of sale;
and as to residue, bonds with good
security will be taken, bearing in-
terest from date, in equal install-
ments, payable on the 24th day of
months, payable on the 29th day of
of November 1903, respectively.
Title retained as ultimate security

L. M. McCLINTIC,
Special Commissioner.

J. H. Patterson, Clerk, of the
Circuit Court of Pocahontas Coun-
ty, do hereby certify that the above
named Special Commissioner has
executed bond as required by said
decree.

J. H. PATTERSON, Clerk.